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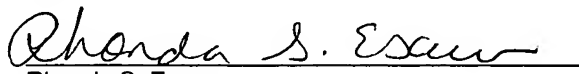
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As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR §1.56, Applicants list the following reference (copy of the listed patent enclosed). This reference was previously filed incorrectly as EP 05300972 in an Information Disclosure Statement dated July 6, 2004.

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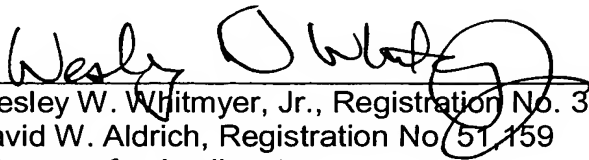

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The listed patent pertains in a general way to the subject matter of the application, but is necessarily considered to be analogous prior art.

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